

**701—7.10(17A) Docket.** The administrative law judge shall maintain a docket of all proceedings and each of the proceedings shall be assigned a number. Every matter coming within the purview of these rules shall be assigned a docket number which shall be the official number for the purposes of identification. Upon receipt of a protest, petition for declaratory ruling or petition to initiate rule-making proceedings, the proceeding will be docketed and assigned a number, and the parties notified thereof. The number shall be placed by the parties on all papers thereafter filed in the proceeding.